

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q93208

Hidenori URATA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/568,711

Group Art Unit: 1609

Confirmation No.: 4660

Examiner: Joseph S. Kudla

Filed: February 17, 2006

For: DRUGS CONTAINING CHYMASE INHIBITORS AS ACTIVE INGREDIENTS

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
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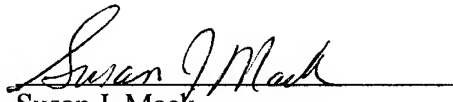
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of four month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 10, 2007 to February 10, 2008.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge for the statutory fee of \$1640.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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